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PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated March 21, 2003 in the above-referenced application. With this three-month extension, Applicant's response is due on September 21, 2003, which was a Sunday, making the response due September 22, 2003.

An extension fee of \$465.00 is required and a check in that amount is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess portion of this fee to McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Ltd. Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

Respectfully submitted,

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